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PROVISIONAL INFORMATION ON SELECTED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES IN THE UNITED STATES AND ON DEATHS IN SELECTED CITIES FOR WEEK ENDED JULY 21, 1962

POLIOMYELITIS - The report of 23 cases, 19 paralytic, for the week ending July 21, 1962, represents the largest number of paralytic cases to be reported for any single week in 1962. Eleven of the paralytic cases were from Texas, as were all 4 of the non-paralytic; this State again accounted for over half of the poliomyelitis cases occurring in the nation.

In Texas, 3 paralytic cases were reported from Dallas County and 1 each from nearby Collin and Parker Counties. The total number of reported paralytic cases from Dallas County now stands at 12. Harris County (Houston) reported one paralytic case this week, raising their 1962 total to 7. The remaining paralytic and non-paralytic cases were scattered throughout the State.

The three cases reported from Oregon this week represent delayed reports of cases having onsets of illness in May. The cases occurred in residents of Portland, Oregon who had received Type I and Type III oral poliovaccine in mass immunization campaigns in that city. Type III poliovirus has been recovered from the stools of these patients. Further studies are being made.

Elsewhere in the nation single cases were reported from Massachusetts, New York, and Illinois. California reported two cases. No case concentrations have been noted in these States.

Although the number of paralytic cases in the nation thus far in 1962 exceeds that for a comparable period in 1961 the total number of cases this year is still below

Table 1. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES (Cumulative totals include revised and delayed reports through previous week)

		29th Wee	k	Cumulative				
Disease	Ended	Ended	26-42	Fi	rst 29 wee	ks		
	July 21, 1962	July 22, 1961	Median 1957 - 1961	1962	1961	Median 1957 - 1961		
Aseptic meningitis Brucellosis Diphtheria. Encephalitis, infectious Hepatitis, infectious and serum Measles Meningococcal infections Poliomyelitis, total Paralytic Nonparalytic Unspecified. Streptococcal sore throat and Scarlet fever Tetanus Tularemia Typhoid fever. Typhus fever, tick-borne, (Rocky Mountain spotted).	82 10 4 33 854 3,730 48 23 19 4 - 3,354 10 14	65 20 1 46 1,110 4,057 36 11 6 5 -	16 8 46 307 4,155 41 124 52 49 23	788 232 229 884 33,810 431,529 1,317 270 206 42 22 207,028 121 157 289	964 341 318 837 46,203 374,955 1,303 288 186 66 36 216,572 355	447 370 845 12,907 382,618 1,454 911 437 316 158 395		
Rabies in Animals	66	56	72	2,391	2,041	2,257		

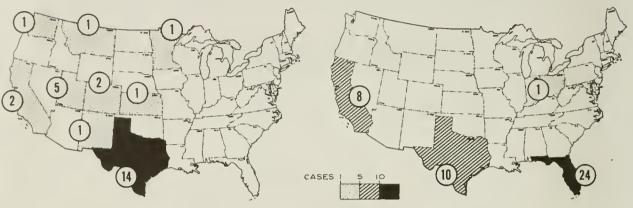
Table 2. NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

Anthrax: Botulism:

Malaria: Mass. - 1, Va. - 1 Plague: Psittacosis: Rabies in Man: Smallpox:

Typhus, murine: Ark. - 1, Ga. - 1

CONFIRMED AND PRESUMPTIVE HUMAN CASES, 1961 WESTERN ENCEPHALITIS ST. LOUIS ENCEPHALITIS



last year's total. Comparable totals for the past 5 years is shown below:

Polio (Cumulated Weekly) through 29th Week for Past Five Years

	1962	1961	1960	1959	1958
Paralytic	206	186	528	1151	475
Tatal	270	288	724	1733	949

HEPATITIS - Reported hepatitis cases rose for the second consecutive week. A total of 854 cases were reported for the week ending July 21 compared to 752 and 605 cases during preceding weeks. States reporting increases are geographically scattered. Notably disproportionate numbers of adult cases are reported from New York and California.

ARTHROPOD-BORNE ENCEPHALITIS UNITED STATES - 1961

In 1961, a total of 74 cases, 11 deaths, of arthropodbome virus encephalitis were reported to the Encephalitis Surveillance Unit. This represents but the second year since the initiation of surveillance in 1955 that the total has been below 100. Confirmed and presumptive cases since 1955 are shown in the table below:

HUMAN ARTHROPOD-BORNE ENCEPHALITIS 1955-1961

	Western Encepholitis	Eostern Encepholitis	St. Louis Encepholitis			
1955	37	15	107			
1956	47	15	563			
1957	35	S	147			
1988	141	2	94			
1959	14	36	118			
1960	21	3	21			
1961	27	1	43			

Cases of Western Encephalitis totaled 27 with three deaths. Fourteen of these were reported from eight different counties in Texas; the remainder originated from seven other Western and Mid-Western States. Forty-three cases of St. Louis Encephalitis were reported, of which 24 were from three adjacent Florida counties (see epidemiological summary); the remaining nineteen cases were from scattered areas in Texas, California and Ohio. One presumptive case of Eastern Encephalitis in a 53-year-old woman was reported from Wisconsin. Cases by age are shown below:

CASES OF WESTERN ENCEPHALITIS AND ST. LOUIS ENCEPHALITIS BY AGE

Age Group	Western Encepholitis	St. Louis Encepholitis
0-4	4	0
S-9	3	1
10-19	2	5
20-29	3	S
30-39	S	4
40-49	4	4
50-59	3	S
60-69	0	4
70+	1	12
Unknown	2	3
Total	27	43

The expected late summer-early fall concentration of cases was again noted for both types of encephalitis.

SEASONAL INCIDENCE OF HUMAN CASES OF WESTERN ENCEPHALITIS AND ST. LOUIS ENCEPHALITIS

	Western Encepholitis	St. Louis Encephalitis					
Jonuary-May	υ	0					
June	0	1					
July	3	2					
August	13	2					
September	9	10					
October	1	9					
November	0	14					
December	0	3					
Total	27*	43**					

^{*} One case - anset unknown

^{**} Two cases - anset unknown

St. Louis Encephalitis - Florido - A discrete outbreak of St. Louis Encephalitis in the Tampa Bay area, Florida, was investigated by Dr. James O. Bond, Director, Bureau of Preventable Disease, Florida State Board of Health, and a team from the Communicable Disease Center. This was the only recognized arthropod-borne encephalitis outbreak of the year.

Between October 3, 1961, and December 17, 1961, a total of 24 clinical cases of St. Louis Encephalitis with 7 deaths occurred in the three ad acent Gulf Coast counties, Pinellas, Manatee, and Sarasota.

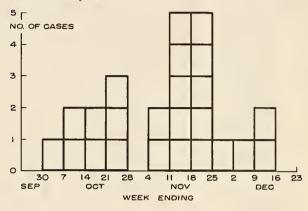
Thirteen of the cases were over the age of 60; the youngest case was in a 13-year-old boy. No cases were known to have occurred among the Negro population. Cases and deaths by age are shown below:

Age Graup	Cases	Deaths
10-19	1	0
20-29	3	1
30-39	1	1
40-49	2	0
50-59	3	1
60-69	2	0
70+	11	4
	24*	7

^{*} One case - age unknown

The first cases occurred in early October in St. Petersburg near the lake and the city park zoo and seven of the eventual nine St. Petersburg cases lived in this vicinity. Cases in Bradenton and Sarasota commenced two to three weeks following the initial St. Petersburg cases. The cases by dates of onset are shown in the graph.

ST. LOUIS ENCEPHALITIS CASES BY WEEK FLORIDA, 1961



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TOTAL DEATHS REPORTED IN 108 CITIES

The weekly average number of total deaths in 108 cities for the four-week period ending July 21 was 10,699 as compared with an expected 10,631 weekly average.

		WEEK I	4 Week	Weekly			
	6/30	7/7	7/14 7/		Tatal	Average	
Observed	10,856	10,057	11,118	10,767	42,798	10,699	
Expected	10,696	10,648	10,608	10,573	42,525	10,631	
Excess	160	-591	510	194	273	68	

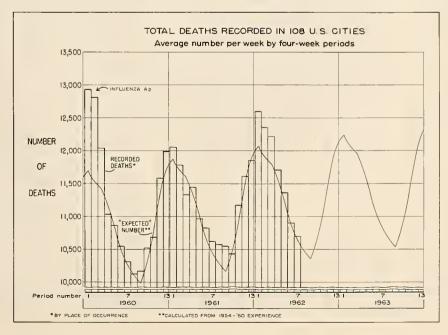


Table 3. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISFASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

JULY 22, 1961 AND JULY 21, 1962

	Polio	myelitis,	Total C	ases	Poli	lomyeliti	s, Paraly	ytic	Poliomy Nonpara			ptic ngitis
Area			Cumu:	lative	00.1		1	lative	20.1		20.1	
	1962	week 1961	1962	29 weeks 1961	1962	week	1962	29 weeks	1962	week 1961	1962	week
INTERNAL CELEBRA												
UNITEO STATES	23	11	270	288	19	6	206	186	4	.5	82	65
NEW ENGLAND	1	1	5	4	1	1 -	5	4 -	_	-	1	12
Maine New Hampshire	-	_	_		_			_				_
Vermont		1	_	1	_	1	_	1	_	_	_	_
Massachusetts	1	_	3	2	1		3	2	_	-	1	3
Rhode Island	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Connecticut	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
MIDOLE ATLANTIC	1	-	35	22	1	- '	22	19	-	· -	1	5
New York	1	-	35	9	1	-	22	7	-	-	-	-
New Jersey Pennsylvania	-	-	-	10	-	_	_	9		_	1	5
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	1		13	30	1	_	9	19	_	_	8	10
Ohio	-	_	5	12	_	_	5	6		_	4	2
Indiana	-	-	3	4	-	-	2	3	-	-	_	-
Illinois	1	-	4	8	1	-	2	6	-	-	2	3
Michigan	-	-	-	3	-	-		3	-	-	1	5
Wisconsin	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	-	-	11	18	-	-	7	9	-	-	3	4
Minnesota	-	-	3	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	3	4
Iowa	-	-	3	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Missouri		-	5	8 -	-	-	2	2 -	-	-	-	_
South Dakota	_	_	_	_	_	_			_	_	_	
Nebraska	_	_	_	2	_	_		2	_	_	_	_
Kansas	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC	-	1	14	46	-	_	11	31	_	1	3	5
Oelaware	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-		-
Maryland	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	- :	-	-	-
District of Columbia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	_	-	2 3	7	_	_	2 3	- 4	_	-	3	1
North Carolina	_	1	2	5	_		1	3	_	1		
South Carolina	-		1	4	-		1	4	-	_	-	_
Georgia	-	-	2	16	-	-	2	10	-	-	-	2
Florida	-	-	3	9	-	-	2	6	-	-	-	2
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	-	-	10	29	-	-	6	12	-	-	16	3
Kentucky	-	-	5	16	-	-	3	2	-	-		-
Tennessee	-	-	3	5	-	-	1	2	-	-	9	2
Mississippi	_	-	2	4	_	_	2	4	-	_	7	1
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	15	5	140	51	11	2	110	28	4	3	24	3
Arkansas	- 15	1	140	2	- 11	_	1	20	4	1	24	_
Louisiana	_		8	13			7	10	_	_		
Oklahoma	_	_	2	1	_	_	_	_	_	-	2	_
Texas	15	4	129	35	11	2	102	18	4	2	22	3
MOUNTAIN	-	2	9	24	_	1	7	14	_	1	1	-
Montana	-	-	3	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	1	-	5	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	- [-	-	-
Colorado	-	- 1	1	3	-	-	-	3	-	- 1	-	-
Arizona	_	1	- 3	2 5	_	-	3	3	-	1	1	_
Utah	-	-	1	7			1	3 4		_	1	
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC	5	2	33	64	5	2	29	50	-	_	25	23
Washington	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	1
Oregon	3	-	5	7	3	-	5	1	-	- :	1	-
California	2	2	27	47	2	2	23	39	-		24	22
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	2	-	- 1	-	

Table 3. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

JULY 22, 1961 AND JULY 21, 1962 - (Continued)

A	Bruce	llosis	Diphth	eria	Encephal Infecti		Infe	Hepa ectious	atitis, s and se	rum	Meas	les
Area		Cumu-		Cumu-				29±1	n week			
		lative		lative			Under	20 &			1	
	29th week	29 weeks	29th week	29 weeks	29 t l	week	20 yr.	over	Total	Total	29th	week
	1962	1962	1962	1962	1962	1961	1962	1962	1962	1961	1962	1961
UNITED STATES	10	232	4	229	33	46	401	405	854	1,110	3,730	-
	10	232	,	22)	33	70	401	405	054	1,110	3,730	4,00
NEW ENGLAND	-	-	-	1	1	2	30	17	47	37	415	349
Maine	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	5	18	1	41	3:
New Hampshire	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	3	-	Ι,
Vermont	-	_	_	1	1	2	15	~	- 22	1	30	1
Massachusetts		_	_	-	1	_	15	7	22	21	254	21
Rhode Island	-	_	_	-	_	_	2	5	7	3 8	25 65	3
		_ :										
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	-	5	-	4	10	9	63	77	140	128	730	99
New York	_	> 1	-	2	7	8	27	39	66	67	443	56
New Jersey	<u>-</u>	1	-	1	3	-	10	12	22	22	203	20
Pennsylvania	_	3	-	1	3	1	26	26	52	39	84	21
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	3	60	-	6	2	7	90	87	186	219	846	1,16
Ohio	-	1	-	-	1	-	16	21	43	46	101	20
Indiana	-	.5	-	3	-	-	11	5	16	19	81	6
Illinois	2	44	-	-	-	4	21	27	50	47	88	31
Michigan	-	3	-	3	1	3	36	31	67	101	390	32
Wisconsin	1	7	-	-	-	-	6	3	10	6	186	25
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	6	93	-	53	2	-	30	25	61	91	55	6
Minnesota	3	, 8	-	16	2	-	4	8	14	24	5	
Iowa	3	56	-	1	-	_	9	5	15	22	16	4
Missouri	-	2	-	5	-	-	5	1	7	28	5	
North Dakota	-	1	-	6	-	-	8	5	13	-	24	1
South Dakota	-	4	-	11	-	-	- 1	-	-	-	5	
Nebraska	-	9	-	13	-	-	1	2	5	10	-	
Kansas	-	13	-	1	-	-	3	4	7	7	NN	N
SOUTH ATLANTIC	_	18	2	43	5	4	48	48	100	156	432	32
Delaware	_	-	_	-	_		-	2	2	2	224	52
Maryland	_	-	-	-	-	1	10	7	17	9	31	4
District of Columbia	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	_		4	2	i
Virginia	-	9	2	9	2	-	6	5	14	18	69	10
West Virginia	- 1	-	-	1	1	-	3	4	8	26	47	9
North Carolina	-	2	-	4	-	-	16	11	27	25	6	1
South Carolina	-	-	-	5	-	-	3	-	3	2	2	
Georgia	-	2	-	4	-	-	1	2	3	24		_
Florida	-	5	-	19	2	2	9	17	26	46	51	5
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	-	11	-	16	2	5	42	36	78	143	185	16
Kentucky	-	1	-	-	-	-	11	7	18	46	26	3
Tennessee	-	4	-	7	1	-	15	6	21	55	138	12
Alabama	-	5	-	3	-	-	13	13	26	22	9	
Mississippi	-	1	-	6	1	5	3	10	13	20	12	
EST SOUTH CENTRAL	_	16	2	87	-	1	36	23	61	92	210	11
Arkansas	-	1	-	10	-	-	9	-	9	14	-	
Louisiana	-	2	1	8	-	-	2	2	4	12	6	
Oklahoma	- 1	2	-	5	-	1	2	2	4	2	1	
Texas	-	11	1	64	-	-	23	19	44	64	203	11
OUNTAIN	_	7		9	,			7.2	4.2		267	21
Montana.		7 1	_	6	1	-	9 2 1	13	43 5	66	367 77	31
Idaho		1	_	1	_		2	3	5 4	1 1	50	3
Wyoming	_		_	-			[_ [-	7	6	3
Colorado	_	2	_	_	_	_		_ [6	11	158	2
New Mexico	-	- 1	-	2	_	_	4	-	4	7	NN	N
Arizona	-	2	-	-	1	_	_	- !	11	16	76	5
Utah	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	10	13	20	-	4
Nevada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		3	-	12
PACIFIC		20		10	10	10		70	100	,	,	
Washington	1	22	-	10	10	18	53	79	138	178	490	56
Oregon	_	1	-	-	2	1	3	8	17	19	31	2
California	1	19	_ [5	7	1	10	1	11	22	113	11
Alaska	1	19		5	1	16	8	68	100 10	132	237	39
Hawaii	_	1		-	<u> </u>	•	8		10	5	108	1
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uerto Rico			1				10		10	22		

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Table 3. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

JULY 22, 1961 AND JULY 21, 1962 - (Continued)

	Mening Infect	ococal	Strepto Sore Th Scarlet	roat &	Tetanus	Tickborne Typhus (Rcky Mt.	Tularemia	Typhoic	l Fever	Rabie	s in Anim	als
Area	29th wk.	Cumu- lative 29 weeks		week	29th wk.	Spotted)	29th wk.	29th wk.	Cumu- lative 29 weeks	29th	week	Cumu- lative 29 weeks
	1962	1962	1962	1961	1962	1962	1962	1962	1962	1962	1961	1962
UNITED STATES	48	1,317	3,354	2,886	10	14	14	16	289	66	56	2,391
OHIELD DIHELDS.	-70	1,527	3,051	,			- '		207			2,371
NEW ENGLAND		83	236	96	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	-
Maine		12	32	2	-	_	-	-	1 -	-		-
New Hampshire	_	3 2	1 9	5 6	_			_	_ [-	_	
Massachusetts	4	36	25	29	_	_	-	-	2	-	_	-
Rhode Island	-	7	16	8	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Connecticut	-	23	153	46	-		-	-	.=	-	-	-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	9	222	100	136	_	3	_	2	32	5	2	74
New York	1	100	79	117		3		1	18	5	1	51
New Jersey		55	8	11	_	_	-	_	8	-	-	_
Pennsylvania	4	67	13	8	-	-	-	1	6	-	1	23
EACT MODITAL CENTRAL		200	220	170			,	2	. 48	7	10	563
EAST NORTH CENTRAL Ohio		260 77	320 32	179 30	_		2	3	26	7	10	563
Indiana		22	93	31	_	_	1	_	, 20	3	2	161
Illinois	6	55	38	36	-	-	-	-	12	3	6	78
Michigan	1	86	105	43	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	25
Wisconsin	-	20	52	39	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	22
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	5	74	57	72	1	_	_		10	16	17	614
Minnesota	2	14	5	-	_	_	_	Ξ	-	4	4	130
Iowa		10	19	16	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	251
Missouri	1	19	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	4	5	101
North Dakota South Dakota	-	6	30	38	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	44
Nebraska	2	3 12	3 -	1 -	-		_	-	1 1	1 2	2	70 15
Kansas		10		16	1	-	_			-	1	3
SOUTH ATLANTIC		216	418	237	3	8 -	1 -	1 -	52	15	4 -	204
Delaware Maryland	2	29 12	9	1 3	_	2		_	1 3			1
Dist. of Columbia	_	7	ĺ	4	_			_	4	-	-	-
Virginia	2	46	86	55	1	1	-	1	11	5	2	91
West Virginia	-	12	83	76	-	- '	-	-	2	8	2	76
North Carolina South Carolina	1 -	52 12	91	7 15	1	3	_	-	3 4	-	_	_
Georgia	_	8	91	10	_	2	1		15	_	_	5
Florida	_	38	144	66	1	_		-	9	2	-	31
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	4	87	692	536	4	2	- [2	23	4	6	274
Kentucky	1	19 37	40 603	35 453	1	2	_	-	10	3 1	4 2	96 160
Alabama	_	17	2	1	1	_		_	7	_	_	18
Mississippi	3	14	47	47	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-
LICCT COLUMN CONSTRUCT										1.0		1.00
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL Arkansas	4	114	422	617	2	1 -	10 6	2 1	73 11	12	15	469 54
Louisiana	1	12 53	1	3 1	_	-	4	-	18	2	-	16
Oklahoma	1	6	18	73	_	1	_	-	4	-	_	20
Texas	1	43	403	540	2	-	-	1	40	10	10	379
MOUNTAIN	1	42	634	681	_ '	_	1	3	25	1	_	21
Montana	-	3	6	45	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
Idaho	-	3	43	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	-	4	10		-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-
Colorado	_	8 3	156 243	174 227	_	-	-	2	3 7	1		11
New Mexico Arizona	1	10	107	90	_		_	-	2	-	_	10
Utah	_	6	69	87	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada	-	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DIGTETO	,	010	/25	220				_	20	,	-	172
PACIFIC	6	219 18	47.5 33	332 56	-	-	_	2	22	6	2 -	172
Washington Oregon	_	15	1	14				-		2	_	8
California	6	176	425	247	-	-		2	21	4	1	164
Alaska	-	6	9	8	-	-	-	- 1	-	-	1	-
Hawaii	-	4	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Puerto Rico	1	8	1	1	2		-		4	2	3	13

Table 4 (A). TOTAL DEATHS IN REPORTING CITIES

(Tables 4(A), 4(B), 4(C), and 4(D) will be published in sequence covering a four-week period. $^{\circ}$

Area		For weel	ks ending		Area	For weeks ending				
ALCO	6/30	7/7	7/14	7/21		6/30	7/7	7/14	7/21	
NEW ENGLAND:					SOUTH ATLANTIC:					
Boston, Mass	222	234	206	239	Atlanta, Ga	113	92	113	95	
Bridgeport, Conn	28	31	41	43	Baltimore, Md	241	199	253	226	
Cambridge, Mass	33	22	27	25	Charlotte, N.C	26	36	41	30	
Fall River, Mass	27	30	31	18	Jacksonville, Fla	66	65	57	70	
Hartford, Conn	54	43	51	49	Miami, Fla	72	74	82	68	
Lowell, Mass	37	22	23	18	Norfolk, Va.	52	43	34	53	
Lynn, Mass	16 27	22 29	19 27	25 16	Richmond, Va	73	81	78	67	
New Bedford, Mass New Haven, Conn	- 52	42	47	31	Savannah, Ga	34	22	42	39	
Providence, R.I.	56	51	67	61	Tampa, Fla.	71 59	63 59	70 93	64	
Somerville, Mass	11	10	13	16	Washington, D.C.	173	174	184	183	
Springfield, Mass	37	58	36	43	Wilmington, Del	31	28	45	32	
Waterbury, Conn	22	28	32	24				1.5	22	
Worcester, Mass	69	44	59	42	EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:					
					Birmingham, Ala	89	60	86	94	
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:					Chattanooga, Tenn	36	25	50	40	
Albany, N.Y.	35	31	34	34	Knoxville, Tenn	24	16	26	30	
Allentown, Pa	37	30	28	37	Louisville, Ky	121	128	93	147	
Buffalo, N.Y.	133 44	105	146	140* 42	Memphis, Tenn	96	106	112	136	
Camden, N.J.	23	37 27	47 28	27	Mobile, Ala	35	46	36	65	
Elizabeth, N.J.	47	39	37	30	Nashville, Tenn.	21	21	31	38	
Erie, Pa	42	51	71	73	Madiiville, leini.	74	46	64	71	
Newark, N.J.	95	104	93	103	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:					
New York City, N.Y	1,502	1,497	1,580	1,464	Austin, Tex	25	33	22	39*	
Paterson, N.J.	32	40	41	21	Baton Rouge, La	26	29	32	40	
Philadelphia, Pa	500	503	416	601	Corpus Christi, Tex	31	13	22	37	
Pittsburgh, Pa	176	188	169	159	Dallas, Tex	143	127	123	140	
Reading, Pa	20	17	26	19	El Paso, Tex	36	40	23	32	
Rochester, N.Y.	105	93	115	116	Fort Worth, Tex	75	78	53	61	
Schenectady, N.Y	27	24	20	22	Houston, Tex	203	128	190	185	
Scranton, Pa	38	32	41	34	Little Rock, Ark	74	53	57	59	
Syracuse, N.Y.	65	48	55	73	New Orleans, La	157	163	181	224	
Trenton, N.J.	45 35	32 28	47 20	48	Oklahoma City, Okla	63	58	87	76	
Utica, N.Y	25	25	22	36	San Antonio, Tex	103	103	104	107	
Totales, N.I.				30	Tulsa, Okla.	45	33 42	63	62	
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:					larou, oktai iiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiii	53	44	68	55	
Akron, Ohio	46	54	49	51	MOUNTAIN:					
Canton, Ohio	34	32	24	29	Albuquerque, N. Mex	31	26	34	26	
Chicago, Ill	664	663	771	618	Colorado Springs, Colo	13	16	14	10	
Cincinnati, Ohio	158	143	171	171	Denver, Colo	139	89	123	160	
Cleveland, Ohio	181	192	240	185*	Ogden, Utah	16	16	18	14	
Columbus, Ohio	145	126	110	119	Phoenix, Ariz	90	72	70	80	
Dayton, Ohio	88	83	92	84	Pueblo, Colo	12	14	15	13	
Detroit, Mich.	365	333	323	314	Salt Lake City, Utah	59	47	51	44	
Evansville, Ind	43 57	37 32	38 51	49 31	Tucson, Ariz	52	39	36	37	
Fort Wayne, Ind.	46	31	39	45	PACIFIC:					
Gary, Ind.	39	24	25	26	Berkeley, Calif	14	10	14	1.6	
Grand Rapids, Mich	49	48	50	29	Fresno, Calif.	35	10 38	14 38	14 48	
Indianapolis, Ind	130	115	173	139	Glendale, Calif	36	23	45	32	
Madison, Wis	36	24	39	20	Honolulu, Hawaii	37	39	46	45	
Milwaukee, Wis	122	114	94	116	Long Beach, Calif	43	60	77	55	
Peoria, Ill	22	33	22	21	Los Angeles, Calif	477	438	470	416	
Rockford, Ill	17	36	30	24	Oakland, Calif	93	70	71	100	
South Bend, Ind	45	28	43	45	Pasadena, Calif	41	29	34	31	
Toledo, Ohio	108	67	114	69	Portland, Oreg	76	78	133	100	
Youngstown, Ohio	51	66	44	39	Sacramento, Calif	63	57	71	70	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:					San Diego, Calif.	81	85	110	83	
Des Moines, Iowa	47	48	66	6.7.	San Francisco, Calif	177	165	192	172	
Duluth, Minn.	47 45	15	66 23	44 21	San Jose, Calif Seattle, Wash	34	36	27	41	
Kansas City, Kans.	40	29	37	44	Spokane, Wash	127	118	152	143	
Kansas City, Mo.	151	104	121	128	Tacoma, Wash.	53 46	37	70	49	
Lincoln, Nebr.	22	22	22	27		40	40	31	43	
Minneapolis, Minn	105	104	117	114	San Juan, P.R.	14	26	24	28	
Omaha, Nebr	68	65	77	74				-4	20	
St. Louis, Mo	229	212	264	217						
St. Paul, Minn	71	61	66	54	OCurrent Week Mortality for	108 Sele	cted Cit	ties		
Wichita, Kans	51	44	47	38						

^{*}Estimate - based on average percent of divisional total Totals for previous weeks include reported corrections.

NOTF: All deaths by place of occurrence.



Clinically, the cases were marked by sudden onset with malaise, lassitude, nausea, and chilly sensations, followed by severe headache, high fever, mental confusion, drowsiness and, occasionally, convulsions. Almost all were hospitalized within five days after onset. Vomiting was not a prominent symptom and was rarely projectile. Tremors involving the extremities, tongue and face were noted in several; two experienced speech difficulty and two demonstrated cerebellar ataxia. Nuchal rigidity was present in almost all at the time of hospital admission; reflex abnormalities were found to vary markedly in the same patient over a short period of time. Spasticity of one or more extremities was frequently present, disappearing over one to two weeks time. Opthalmologic examination revealed occasional evidence of early papilledema but few other abnormal findings. Fever was usually highest during the first week of illness, falling by lysis within two weeks following onset. The patients generally improved rapidly after the temperature returned to normal; by the end of three weeks, the majority had recovered completely.

Field investigations revealed no apparent common exposure although all could recall frequent insect bites prior to the onset of illness. Spraying for mosquitoes had been carried out in the affected areas until late August when, because of negligible rainfall, low catches of mosquitoes and few mosquito biting complaints, it had been terminated.

Serological studies indicated the presence of high circulating antibody titers to St. Louis Encephalitis among a significant proportion of chickens, other birds, mammals and reptiles tested. One isolate from mosquitoes trapped at the time of investigation was identified as a Group B arthropod-borne agent resembling St. Louis Encephalitis.

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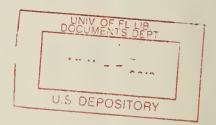
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